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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated December 19, 2003, the period for response having been extended four months to June 19, 2004 (19th being a Saturday and 20th being a Sunday), by the attached petition for extension of time and the appropriate fee, Applicants respectfully request consideration and examination of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.